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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: IS, KU
SUBJECT: OFFICIAL KUWAITI POSITION ON ISRAELI PEACE
PROPOSALS

1. FOLLOWING REGULAR WEEKLY CABINET MEETING DEC. 25, KUWAIT
MINISTER OF STATE FOR CABINET AFFAIRS 'ABD AL 'AZIZ HUSAYN
ANNOUNCED GOK POSITION ON ISRAELI PEACE PROPOSALS WHICH
REPORTEDLY WERE CARRIED BY PRIME MINISTER BEGIN TO ISMAILIA
TALKS. ACCORDING TO KUWAIT TIMES DEC. 26, HUSAYN SAID, "KUWAIT,
WHICH BELIEVES IN PEACE BASED ON JUSTICE, REJECTS ALL ISRAELI
INITIATIVES DESCRIBED BY THE ENEMY'S MEDIA AS PEACE PROPOSALS."

2. COMMENT: KUWAITI POSITION WAS DOUBTLESS VERY CAREFULLY
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WORDED IN SUCH A WAY AS TO RETAIN SOME
FLEXIBILITY AND BALANCE. WHILE IT IS CERTAINLY A
NEGATIVE POSITION, IT LEAVES KUWAIT STILL IN LINE WITH
THE CONSENSUS OF MODERATE ARAB STATES AND STOPS SHORT
OF VOA DEC. 26 MORNING NEWS REPORT WHICH ERRONEOUSLY
STATES THAT GOK "DENOUNCED THE (SADAT-BEGIN) SUMMIT."
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